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- 1. W) EMBASSY PEGASE PASS TO CONCEN GUANGINOU.
- 2. GOUL ON HOVEMELR 29, DEPARTMENT DELIVERED & DIPLOMATIC HOTE TO PRC EMBASSY REGARDING RESTRICTIONS ON DIPLOMATIC AND COUSULAR TRAVEL. AS THE HOTE DEPLATED IN FOLLOWING PARAGRAPHSI STATED, OUR DECISION TO IMPOSE RESTRICTIONS ON PRO DIPLOMATIC AND CONSULAR TRAVEL IN THE US WAS HOTIVATED EXCLUSIVELY BY OUR DESIRE TO DESERVE THE PRINCIPLE OF RECIPROCITY, & PRINCIPLE WHOSE IMPORTANCE HAS INCREASED WITH HORMALIZATION OF RELATIONS. FOSTS WILL HOTE THAT WE NO HOLTZEUG ENE DEZZERDOM TON DHIER SMIT BUT NOT BYAN CLOSED AREAS," SINCE THE PRO & DEFINITION SELMS TO BE AMBIGUOUS. HOWEVER, WE PLAN TO RAISE THIS ISSUE WITH THE CHINESE, POSSIBLY IN THE CONTEXT OF REGCTIATIONS OF THE
- 3. REHAUNDER OF MESSAGE UNCLASSIFIED.

BEGIN TEXT OF DIPLOMATIC NOTE:

BILATERAL CONVENTION

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- 4. THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE WISHES TO INFORM THE EMBASSY OF THE FLORIE'S REPUBLIC OF CHIMA THAT IN ACCORDANCE WITH PROCEDURES ADOPTED BY THE GOVERNMENT OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA FOR TRAVEL BY AMERICAN PERSONNEL AS-SIGNED TO THE UNITED STATES ENGASSY IN BEILING AND THE UNITED STATES CONSULATE CENERAL IN GUANGINOU, THE FOLLOW-ING PROCEDURES WILL BE REQUIRED OF ALL ENTHESE PERSCHNEL --YEZRATE THE OF CHICKETS--CELECULA THE PART DRICK CONTROL OF THE CHEASEY OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHIMA IN WASKINGTON, D.C. . CONTRACT HAS CHE HAD SELECTED AND SAN FRANCISCO FOR TRAVEL WITHIN UNITED STATES TERRITORY, WHETHER SUCH TRAVEL EL FOR OFFICIAL OR PRIVATE PURPOSES, AS OF JANUARY 5, 1918:
- A. THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE MUST BE THICGRIED BY EXTITLE HOTE FORTY-EIGHT ILL) HOURS, LICHT BOURS OF WHICH BUST COFFESPORD TO CHE VORRING DAY. IN EDVANCE DI, ALD MUST SPECIFICALLY APPROVE, ANY TRAVEL BEYOND A THENTY-FIVE 125) HILE (IS KILDHETER) RADIUS OF THE

E HASSY, INCER! THAT D REC' TRAVEL HERVIEW THE EMERSE AND THE EALTIBLIA. - WASHINGTON INTERLATIONAL AIRPORT WILL REQUIRE NO PRIOR HOTIFICATION. IN THE CASE OF PERSONNET ACCREDITED TO THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE, NOTIFICATION SHOULD BE MADE TO THE APPROPRIATE OFFICE RESPONSIBLE FOR LIAISON FUNCTIONS.

- B. UNITED STATES PASSPORT AGENCIES LOCATED IN THE CITIES OF HOUSTON AND SAN FRANCISCO MUST BE INFORMED BY WRITTEN COMMUNICATION FORTY-EIGHT (48) HOURS, EIGHT NOURS OF WHICH BUST CORRESPOND TO CHE WORKING DAY. IN ADVANCE OF, AND MUST SPECIFICALLY AFPROVE, ANT TRAVEL BEYOND A TVENTY-FIVE CIS) MILE (40 KILOMETER) RECIUS OF THE CONSULATE CENERAL IN HOUSTON AND SAN FRANCISCO. RESPECTIVELY.
- C. IN THE EVENT OF EMERGENCY TRAVEL, NOTIFICATION IN THE CASE OF THE EMBASSY MAY BE HADE BY TELEPHONE TO THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE OR, IN THE CASES OF THE CON-SULATES GERERAL, BY TELEPHONE TO THE UNITED STATES PASSPORT AGENCIES IN THE CITIES OF HOUSTON AND SAN FRANCISCO, RESPECTIVELY. IN THE CASE OF PERSONNEL ACCREDITED TO THE DEPARTMENT OF SEEENSE, NOTIFICATION SHOULD BE MADE TO THE APPROPRIATE DIFFICE RESPONSIBLE

FOR LIAISON FUNCTIONS. ALL EMERGENCY TELEPHONE REQUESTS HUST BE FOLLOWED WITH A WRITTER REQUEST TO THE APPROVING OFFICE ON THE NEXT DORKING DAY.

5. THESE PROCEDURES ARE BEING INSTITUTED NOT FOR THE C_{σ}^{λ} PURPOSE OF INNIBITING OR RESTRICTING THE TRAVEL OF EMBASSY AND COMMULATE CENERAL PERSONNEL, BUT TO BEING UNITED STATES TRAVEL REQUIREMENTS INTO LINE WITH THOSE BEING APPLIED BY THE GOVERNMENT OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA TO TRAVEL BY PERSONNEL ASSIGNED TO THE UNITED STATES EMBASSY AND CONSULATE GENERAL. THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE BELLEVES THAT WITH THE ADVENT OF BORNAL DIPLOMETIC RELATIONS, THE PREVIOUS AD NOC ARRANGINGUIS INICH APPLICA TO TRAVEL IN THE UNITED STATES SHOULD BE REPLACED BY REGULAR PROCEDURES WHICH APPLY UNIFORMLY TO ALL MISSHOWS IN THE UNITED STATES ON THE BASIS OF RECIPROCITY. THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE WISHES TO EMPHASSIZE THAT IN PRINCIPLE THE UNITED STATES COVERNMENT FAVORS A POLICY OF UNRE-STRICTED TRAVEL AND CONTACT BY FOREIGN BIPLOMATS AND VEIVER OF VIHILIZORED BIT BRODIEN DUON DIE SECTION STRUUCHOO DIN YZZABNE NOT ZTRENINIUDER LEVART ELA GENERAL PERSONNEL IN BOTH COUNTRIES, WITH A VIEW TOWARD EASING THESE REQUIREMENTS ON A RECIPROCAL BASIS

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